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SUBJECT: Applicants: Karel Marie Joseph Brands et al
Serial No. 10/522,261
Title: Synthesis of Cyclohexanone Derivatives
Filing Date: January 25, 2005

COMMENTS: This facsimile is further to a telephone conversation earlier today between the undersigned and Examiner Chandrakumar.

This application was allowed by Notice of Allowance dated May 14, 2007. It appears that the Examiner did not consider the Supplementary Amendment mailed April 18, 2007. At the Examiner's request, a copy of the Supplementary Amendment is being sent by facsimile.

It is noted that the Supplementary Amendment appears in the file history of this application on the PAIR network, as entered April 23, 2007.

It is requested that the Supplementary Amendment be entered, and that the PTO issue a Supplementary Notice of Allowance or otherwise acknowledge entry of the Supplementary Amendment.

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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Sir:

Supplementary to the Amendment filed March 28, 2007, and in further response to the Office Action mailed February 20, 2007, please amend this application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins at page 2 of this paper.
Remarks/Arguments begin at page 6 of this paper.

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